

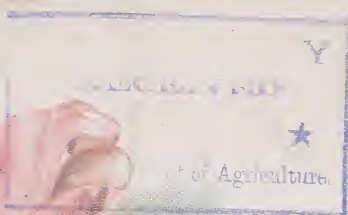
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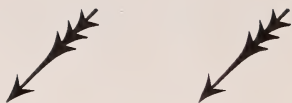
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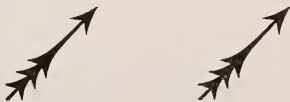
My annual Catalogue for 1900 is now before you, and in presenting this list to you, I am confident that I have enumerated only the best varieties of Vegetable and Flower seeds.

I thank my many patrons for the favors shown me in the past, and would ask those who have never dealt with me, to compare prices and test the quality of my seeds, with those whom they have formerly dealt and trust that from old and new customers I will receive my share of your patronage.

My aim has been to deal only in the best quality of seeds: it will be my purpose in the future.

There are so many reasons why the best seeds do not always germinate, that it must be distinctly understood that my seeds are not under any guarantee for the productiveness of the crop.

WILLIAM R. THURBER,  
Brooklyn, Conn.





## **Seeds by Mail, Freight or Express.**

Flower or Vegetable Seeds ordered by the packet, ounce or quarter pound will be sent by mail at catalogue prices. When Vegetable Seeds are ordered by mail in quantities of one-half pound and upwards, purchasers must send eight cents per pound for postage. When Peas and Beans are ordered by the quart, by mail, add fifteen cents per quart; Corn, add ten cents per quart.

## **About Ordering.**

In ordering, please write your name, post-office and state plainly. Remittances should be made either by money order on Brooklyn, Conn., registered letter or bank check, payable to my order. Remittances made in any other way are at the risk of the sender.

My Greenhouse facilities give me the best opportunity for constant tests of all seeds in my hands.

Market Gardeners using large quantities of vegetable seeds and plants, may be greatly benefited by sending me their lists to be priced before buying elsewhere.

## **Shipment of Plants.**

I will send plants by mail, as heretofore; but I would here impress upon my patrons the fact that no plant should be sent by mail to any point where an express office reaches, as larger and finer plants and more of them for the same amount can be sent by express; extra plants are always included that are of more value than the cost of expressage.

I MAKE NO CHARGE FOR BOXES OR PACKING. All orders should be addressed to

WILLIAM R. THURBER, Brooklyn, Conn.

## **Sowing Flower Seeds.**

In sowing all small seeds, care should be taken to have the soil mellow and fine and the seeds should be covered very lightly—in fact the smallest of them should be sown and the soil merely pressed with a board or the hand.

Hardy Annuals may be sown in the open ground from the time the ground is well settled in the spring till late in the summer for succession.

Half-Hardy Annuals should not be sown in open ground till after settled weather and biting frosts are past.

Tender Annuals must not be sown in open ground before all frost is past and the weather is warm and summer-like.

All Annuals may be forwarded early in hotbeds or the window, but the best satisfaction results in open ground.

Biennials and Perennials are best sown in shallow boxes and set out into pots or boxes; and finally, when strong, placed in permanent positions where they are to flower

# SPECIAL OFFER

—ON—

## FLOWER SEEDS.



As an additional inducement to individuals who desire to possess a large collection, or for the formation of clubs for the same object, we offer to send by mail free of postage, to any address in the United States or Canada, the following:

Purchasers remitting \$1 may select to the amount of \$ 1.40 ·

"	"	2	"	"	3.00
"	"	3	"	"	5.00
"	"	5	"	"	10.00

REMEMBER this discount is on flower seeds only.



In sending orders for Flower Seeds by mail, it will only be necessary to give the date of the Catalogue from which the selection was made, and the NUMBER instead of the names of the varieties.



# General List of Flower Seeds.

ANNUALS grow, bloom and die the first year from seed.

BIENNIALS bloom the second year from seed and then die; though many, if sown early in the spring, will flower the first year.

PERENNIALS bloom the second year from seed, and continue to grow and bloom for many years.

ALL FLOWER SEEDS SENT FREE BY MAIL ON RECEIPT OF PRICE.

## ABRONIA.

Brilliant trailing plants with Verbena like heads, producing a rich, flowery carpet from July to October. Hardy annuals.

1 **Umbellata.** Rosy pink, packet 5c

## ACROCLINUM.

One of the best everlastings, suitable for winter bouquets: half-hardy annuals.

2 **Mixed, Single** 1 foot....pkt. 5c

3 **Mixed, Double** .....pkt. 5c

## ADLUMIA: Mountain Fringe.

An attractive climbing plant, with pale-green foliage, bearing small, flesh-colored blossoms; hardy annuals.

4 **Adlumia Cirrhosa** Flesh white 15 feet.....pkt 5c

## AGERATUM.

Very valuable for bouquets; lasting long in bloom. Half-hardy annuals. Height. 3—4 foot.

5 **Mixed** Dwarf; blue and white .....pkt. 5c

## ALYSSUM.

Modest little plants for edging and border, its flowers being highly prized for bouquets.



6 **Sweet** Pure white, very sweet, hardy annuals, 1 foot. Per ounce, 25 cts..... Pkt. 5c

7 **Tom Thumb** This is one of the finest plants for edging and low beds, flowering for months; pure white; 1-2 foot..... pkt. 5c

## AMARANTHUS.

A class of plants valued for their highly ornamented foliage; native of East Indies, requiring a poor, light soil to bring them to perfection, half-hardy annuals.

8 **Tricolor** (Joseph's Coat.) Red, yellow and green foliage.....pkt. 5c

9 **Salicifolius** (Fountain Plant) Drooping, willow-shaped leaves, tipped with orange, carmine and bronze, .....pkt 5c

**ANTIRRHINUM** Snapdragon.

The Snapdragon or Antirrhinum, is one of the most useful and showy border plants; half hardy perennials,

10 **Tall Varieties mixed** 2 ft. ....pkt 5c

### **ACQUILEGIA.**

The universally admired "Columbine," of almost every conceivable color and variation; hardy perennials.

11 **Varieties Mixed**.....pkt. 5c

### **GERMAN ASTER.**

This beautiful class of plants now constitutes one of our finest autumnal flowers. Plant the seed early, in hotbeds, or in pots or boxes, and transplant to a deep rich soil six to twelve inches apart,

12 **Bettridge's Quilled** An improved form of Quilled Aster. The flowers are of fine form and brilliant colors; 2 ft..... pkt. 5c

13 **Comet** Mixed colors. These beautiful Asters have long twisted petals formed into a loose, yet dense half globe; flowers large....pkt. 10c

14 **Peony Flowered Perfection** Flowers large and double; choice mixed colors. 2 ft.....pkt. 10c

15 **Victoria** Flowers very large, perfectly double, forming a compact bush; 2 feet high; choice mixed colors..... pkt. 10c

16 **Samples** Snow white; a most beautiful variety; flowers are very large ..... pkt. 10c

### **PEONY ASTER. No. 14,**

17 **Dwarf Pyramidal Bouquet.** Height from 12 to 15 inches; a very free blooming variety; mixed colors ..... pkt. 10c

18 **Sample's Branching** Super-



- ior to any other class of late flowering Branching Aster; mixed colors 2 ft high.....pkt. 10c
- 19 **Dwarf Chrysanthemum Flowered** This is a valuable late variety, coming in after many other varieties are gone. Mixed. 9 inches high..... pkt. 10c
- 20 **Mignon Asters** The plants are semi-dwarf and bear very double flowers with deeply imbricated petals mixed colors.....pkt. 10c
- 21 **Ball-Shaped or "Jewel" Asters.** The flowers are perfectly round or ball shaped, densely double, short incurved petals. 2 ft. Mixed colors.....pkt. 10c
- Coll. of Asters as imported
- 22 **Comet** in six separate colors 40c
- 23 **Jewel** in six separate colors 40c
- 24 **Truffaut's Poeny Flowered Perfection** Twelve separate colors.....60c
- 25 **Victoria** In twelve separate colors.....60c

### BALSAMS.

An old and popular favorite of which our present stock is a great improvement on old sorts, being usually double and finely colored and variegated half-hardy annuals.

- 26 **Double Camelia Flowered** Finest mixed colors, 2 ft....pkt 5c
- 27 **Double White Perfection** Very fine, 2 ft. ....pkt. 10c
- 28 **Rose Flowered.** Very double, Mixed color..... pkt. 5c
- 29 **Mixed Balsams.**.....pkt. 5c

### COLLECTION OF BALSAMS.

- 30 **Double Camelia Flowered.** In twelve separate colors.....50c
- 31 **Rose Flowered.** In twelve different colors.....50c

### BELLIS. Double Daisy.

A well known perennial. They are admirable plants for making edgings, etc. Half-hardy perennial.

- 32 **Perennis.** Extra fine; saved from named flowers; 1-4 foot, pkt. 10c
- 33 **Snowball.** Double; White. 10c
- 34 **Longfellow.** Double; pink .10c

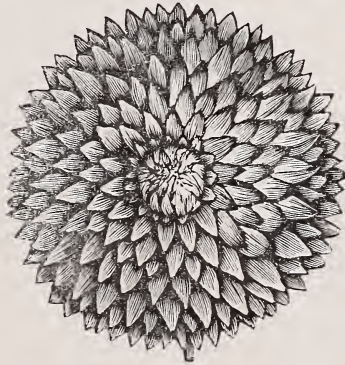
### BROWALLIA.

The Browallia is very pretty for bouquets. Half-hardy annuals.

- 35 **Elata Major.** Blue and white Mixed .....pkt. 5c
- CACALIA Tassel Flowers.

A beautiful annual, with a profusion of scarlet and orange tassel-shaped flowers, blooming from July to October

- 36 **Mixed.** Yellow and scarlet...5c



### CALENDULA

A very showy free-flowering genus of plants, producing a pretty effect in beds or borders. Hardy annuals. pkt.

- 37 **Le Proust.** Nankeen colored, 5c
- 38 **Meteor.** Yellow with light orange-striped flowers.....5c
- 39 **Pongei.** Double; white.....5c

### CALLIOPSIS.

A very showy border plant, producing flowers in shades of yellow, orange,



crimson and brown. Tall varieties.  
Hardy annual; height 2 feet.

40 **Mixed**. . . . .pkt. 5c

### **CANDYTUFT, Iberis.**

Old, popular and beautiful. Hardy  
annuals. . . . .pkt.

41 **White**. Sweet scented. . . . .5c

42 **Purple**. . . . .5c

43 **Empress**. A most beautiful cand-  
dytuft; pure white . . . . .5c

44 **DARK CRIMSON**. . . . .5c

45 **Fine Mixed**. . . . .5c

**CANNA**. Indian shot.

Extremely ornamental and stately fo-  
liage plants, producing a decidedly  
tropical appearance. Flowers bright  
and attractive. Half-hardy perennials.

46 **French Mixed, Large Flow-  
ing**. . . . .pkt. 10c

### **CANTERBURY BELLS.**

*Campanula Medium*

Well known and deservedly popular  
Hardy perennials. . . . .pkt.

47 **Single Mixed** . . . . .5c

48 **Double Mixed**. . . . .5c

### **CARNATION.**

A class of popular favorites, most of  
them deliciously fragrant, and with col-  
ors extremely rich and beautiful. Half-  
hardy perennials.

49 **Marguerite**. These are the most  
abundant bloomers of the carnation  
pinks; the flowers are of many shades  
• of red, pink, white, variegated.  
pkt. . . . . 10c

50 **Mixed**. For border culture; dou-  
ble . . . . .pkt 10c

### **CELOSIA.**

These are exceedingly brilliant and  
attractive half-hardy annuals never fail  
to please if grown from first quality  
seed. . . . .pkt.

51 **Pyramidalis Mixed**. Three

feet high. . . . . 5c

52 **Cristata**. Nana Mixed . . . . .5c

53 **Plumosa Mixed**. . . . .5c

### **CENTAUREA.**

Valuable silver foliage plants, very  
effective for basket. vases and window  
boxes, as well as the finest silver-leaved  
plants for contrasting with *Coleus* and  
other dark-leaved plants, in massed  
beds; half-hardy perennials.

54 **Gymnocarpa**. Silver foliage;  
1 1-2 feet . . . . .pkt. 10c

### **CHRYSANTHEMUMS.**

A well known garden favorite. The  
annual varieties are among the most  
showy and effective of summer flower-  
ing plants.

55 **Mixed**. Annual varieties. pkt. 5c

56 **Indicum**. Large flowering;  
mixed; half-hardy perennials pkt. 15c

57 **Japonicum**. Fringed varieties;  
mixed colors; half-hardy perennials  
. . . . .pkt. 15c

### **COBEA**

A most beautiful climber, of rapid  
growth; producing many large, bell-  
shaped flowers. Plant the seed in moist  
earth, edgewise Half-hardy perennials.

58 **Scandens**. Rich violet blue;  
25 feet. . . . .pkt. 10c

### **CONVOLVULUS.**

The most popular annual in cultiva-  
tion, for in this is included the well-  
known Morning Glory. The minor va-  
rieties are well suited for bedding; they  
attain an average of height of one foot.  
Half-hardy annuals. . . . .pkt.

59 **Minor Tricolor**. Mixed 5c

60 **Major**. (Morning Glory.) Mixed;  
per ounce 15c . . . . .pkt. 5c

No. 60 **CONVOLVULUS.**

### **COSMOS.**

The plants grow 4 to 6 feet high, and

**COSMOS.**

are literally covered in the autumn with large single dahlia-like flowers, ranging through shades of rose, purple, white, etc ; splendid for cutting purposes ; feathery foliage.

- 61 **Large Flowering.** Mixed colors. . . . .pkt. 5c  
 62 **Early Flowering.** White. pkt. . . . .10c

**CYCLAMEN.**

Beautiful winter and spring-flowering plants, with sweet scented, singular

shaped flowers ; for culture in pots.

Half-hardy perennials.

- 63 **Cyclamen Persicum.** Finest varieties ; mixed. . . . .10c

**CYPRESS VINE** *Impomæ Quamoclit.*

A tender, climbing annual, with graceful foliage ; seed should not be planted in the ground before the last of May or the first of June.

- 64 **Mixed.** . . . . .5c

**DAHLIA**

Seeds saved from the very finest named sorts in cultivation. Seed sown in early spring will produce plants that bloom from August until frost. Half-hardy perennials. . . . .pkt.

- 65 **Double Mixed.** . . . . .10c

- 66 **Single Mixed.** . . . . .5c

**DATURA.** Trumpet flower.

Hardy annuals, with double purple and white flowers ; height 2 feet. . . . .pkt.

- 67 **Datura Fastuosa.** . . . . .5c

**DIGITALIS.** Fox Glove.

A very hardy biennial, with flower stems at least 3 feet in height, bearing flowers of an irregular bell-shape ; color white and different shades of purple and red.

- 68 **Fox Glove.** Finest colors and shades mixed. . . . .pkt. 5c

**DIANTHUS.**

A beautiful genus of easy culture, embracing some of the most popular flowers in cultivation. Their free blooming quality, together with the exquisite blending of colors and richness of single flowers, places them at the head of all bedding plants that are quickly grown from seed. Hardy annuals.

- 69 **Chinensis.** Fine mixed double flowers. . . . .pkt. 5c

- 70 **Imperialis.** Double Imperial pink, extra fine mixed ..... pkt. 5c
- 71 **Heddewigii Flore Pleno.** Double Japan pink, very showy 1 ft. high..... pkt. 5c
- 72 **Diadematus.** Dwarf of compact habit. Flowers very large of various colors; double.....pkt. 5c
- 73 **The Bride** Single large flowers; white with violet center.....pkt. 5c
- 74 **Eastern Queen.** Beautifully marbled; single.....pkt. 5c
- 75 **Crimson Belle.** Rich crimson color; flowers of very large size and substance; single .....pkt. 5c
- 76 **All Kinds.** Mixed... .... pkt. 5c

### ESCHSCHOLTZIA.

California Poppy.

Extremely free-flowering and showy hardy; annuals, of rich and beautiful colors. .... pkt.

- 77 **Finest Varieties.** Mixed ....5c
- 78 **DOUBLE MIXED**.....5c

Eternal or Everlasting Flowers.

[See Helichrysum and Acroclinium.]

**GERANIUM.** Pelargonium.

These well known garden favorites are as indispensable for indoor as for outdoor decorations, and should be extensively cultivated. Perennials. .... pkt.

- 79 **Zonale.** Finest mixed... ....10c

### GILIA.

Free-flowering hardy annual, producing clusters of small, bright, delicate flowers; pretty in small clumps; flowers continually.

- 80 **All Varieties.** Mixed... .... pkt. 5c

### GLOXINIA.

A superb genus of stove plants producing in great profusion flowers of the richest and most beautiful hue; thrives

best in sandy peat and loom; hot-house bulbs. .... pkt.

- 81 **Choice.** Mixed .....20c

### GODETIA.

All the varieties of the Godetia are well worth growing, the profuseness of bloom and delicate tints of color have rendered them universal favorites. .... pkt.

- 82 **Fine Mixed.** All colors. ... 5c

**GOURD.** Mock Orange.

Rapid growing plants, useful for covering unsightly spots, producing beautiful and often very curious many-shaped fruits.

- 83 **Gourds.** A splendid assortment of best varieties .....pkt. 5c

### GYPSOPHILA.

Elegant little plant, adapted for rock work; baskets or edgings.

- 84 **Murallis.** A charming little plant, covered with pretty little pink flowers; hardy annuals..... pkt. 5c

**HELIANTHUS.** Sunflower.

Very handsome varieties of Sunflower remarkable for their stately growth and the brilliancy and size of their flowers.

- 85 **Californicus.** Extra large and double; 5 feet high ..... ....pkt. 5c

**HELICHRYSUM.** Eternal Flower.

An effective and indispensable everlasting flower, both for garden, ornamental and winter bouquets; hardy annuals. .... pkt.

- 86 **Finest Colors.** Mixed..... 5c

### HOLLYHOCK.

Our seed of this old favorite has been saved from an unsurpassed collection of the most rich and brilliant colors; hardy perennials.

- 87 **Hollyhock.** Extra choice; double, of great beauty; splendid English varieties mixed ..... ....pkt. 10c

**LATHYRUS.** See Sweet Peas.



**LARKSPUR.** Delphinium.

Beautiful and well-known plants of the easiest culture, and productive of showy flowers of a great variety of colors; pleasing and useful for cutting; hardy annuals.

- 88 **Dwarf Rocket.** Finest mixed; double ..... pkt. 5c  
 89 **Tall Rocket.** Finest mixed double ..... pkt. 5c  
 90 **Emperor.** Varieties mixed pkt. .... 5c  
 91 **Mixed.** ..... 5c

**LINUM.**

Neat and beautiful half-hardy annual with bright and handsome flowers all summer, produced in abundance.

- 92 **Graniflorum Rubrum** pkt. Bright crimson; 18 inches ..... 5c

**LOBELIA**

A class of plants of great beauty and usefulness; equally well adapted for pots, baskets, vases, or for border culture; half-hardy annuals.

- 93 **Crystal Palace Compacta.** A beautiful blue variety ..... pkt. 5c  
 94 **Speciosa.** The most effective of Lobelias. .... pkt. 5c  
 95 **Erinus.** Mixed ..... pkt. 5c

**MAURANDIA.**

A beautiful, rather delicate and graceful climber, with flowers blue, white and mauve, of various shades.

- 96 **Finest Mixed.** ..... pkt. 10c

**MARIGOLD.** Tagetes.

The French and African Marigolds are among the most elegant and beautiful of our annuals; half-hardy annuals.

- 97 **African Quilled.** Finest double; 2 feet high. .... 5c  
 98 **French Dwarf.** Mixed; double; 1 foot high. .... 5c  
 99 **French Striped.** Striped gold 5c

**MARVEL OF PERU.** Mirabilis.

The well-known "Evening Beauty" "Four O'clock," "Belle of the night," etc., of varied colors and striped; very fragrant and free flowering.

- 100 **Jalapa.** Finest mixed, including beautiful striped sorts ..... pkt. 5c

**MIGNONETTE.**

A well-known favorite, highly esteemed for its fragrance; if well thinned out as soon as the plants are large enough they will grow stronger and produce larger spikes of bloom; hardy annuals.

- 101 **Mignonette.** (Reseda Odorata) per ounce 15c ..... pkt. 5c  
 102 **Machet.** A dwarf French variety with broad spikes of very fragrant red flowers; one of the best varieties. .... 10c

- 103 **Hybrid Spiral.** This variety of Mignonette is a strong grower and fragrant ..... 5c

- 104 **Golden Queen.** Literally a mass of fragrant gold ..... 5c

**MIMOSA.**

- 105 **Pudica.** A curious and interesting plant, the leaves closing if touched or shaken, but soon opening again; half-hardy annuals. .... 5c

**MORNING GLORY.**

(See Convolvulus)

- 106 **Japan Morning Glory.** One of our most beautiful climbers. The flowers are of gigantic size; they attain a height of from 30 to 50 ft. mixed colors ..... pkt. 10c

**MIMULUS.** Monkey Flower.

Very striking and beautiful, tender looking plants, excellent for pots, boxes, baskets or open ground culture.

- 107 **Moschatus.** (Musk Plant.) Yellow; one-half foot high. .... pkt. 5c

- 108 **Choice Mixed.** Finest spotted  
sorts.....pkt. 5c

**MYRSIPHYLLUM.** Smilax.

Of late this has become very popular,  
being, as it is, one of the most graceful  
and beautiful climbers in cultivation;  
for all occasions it is the best adapted  
of all plants for dressing the hair. pkt.

- 109 **Asparagoides.** White; 7 ft 10c  
**MYOSOTIS.** Forget-me-not.

The different species of this popular  
genus are all very beautiful, and too  
well known to need recommendation;  
they succeed best in moist situations.]

- 110 **Disitiflora.** Large, sky-blue  
flowers; very early and free bloom-  
ing .....pkt. 5c  
111 **Semperflorens** Flowering  
from early spring till autumn, White;  
6 inches.....pkt. 10c



**NASTURTIUMS.**

For covering lattice-work and trel-  
lises, old clumps, etc., the tall Nastur-  
tiums are adapted. The dwarf Nastur-  
tiums are excellent for bedding, form-  
ing beautifully-rounded clumps, cover-  
ed with showy flowers. pkt.

- 112 **Luteum.** Rich yellow, no  
blotches. oz. 15c. ....pkt. 5c

- 113 **Schillingi.** Yellow maroon  
blotches. oz. 15c .....pkt. 5c  
114 **Tall Rose.** Oz. 15c....pkt. 5c  
115 " **White.** Pearl. Oz. 15c...5c  
116 " **Scarlet.** Oz. 15c.....5c  
117 " **Orange.** Oz. 15c.....5c  
118 " **Crimson.** Oz. 15c....5c  
119 **Maroon.** Oz. 15c.... .5c  
120 **Scarlet and Gold.** Yellow foli-  
age; flowers crimson-scarlet....10c  
121 **Tall Mixed.** 10 feet, 1-4 lb. 30c  
Oz. 10c .....pkt. 5c  
122 **Empress of India.** Dark  
foliage; flowers crimson dwarf...5c  
123 **Tom Thumb,** Orange,  
Oz. 15c ..... 5c  
124 **Tom Thumb.** Scarlet.  
Oz. 15c .....5c  
125 **Tom Thumb.** White.  
Oz. 15c.....5c  
126 **Tom Thumb.** Maroon,  
Oz. 15c . . . . .5c  
127 **Luteum.** Light yellow, no  
blotches. Oz. 15c .....5c  
128 **Golden King.** Golden, Ma-  
roon blotches. Oz. 20c .... 5c  
129 **Tom Thumb.** Mixed. 1 foot  
Oz. 15c 1-4 lb. 40c .....5c

**PANSY.** Viola Tricolor.

The pansy is a general favorite. The  
flowers are in the greatest perfection in  
May or June. Seed sown in August in  
the open border will come up readily in  
a few weeks. They require to be cov-  
ered during the winter with ever-green  
boughs or a cold frame. If sown early  
in spring they will bloom the first sea-  
son. Hardy perennials.

- 130 **English.** Extra select; large  
flowers. ....pkt.  
.....15c  
131 **Giant Trimardeau.**  
Mixed colors..... 10c

- 132 **Odier, and Cassiers.** Very large flowers and distinctively blotched, mixed colors..... 15c
- 133 **Emperor William.** New, brilliant ultramarine blue, violet eye .....5c
- 134 **King of the Blacks.**  
Almost coal black; true to seed... 5c
- 135 **White.** Snowflake; choice for cemetery use.....5c
- 136 **Yellow.** Constant and fine.. 5c
- 137 **Mixed** Fine quality.....10c
- 138 **Good Mixed**.....5c



### PETUNIA

Profuse blooming, extremely showy and indispensable garden favorites; half-hardy annuals.

- 139 **Petunia Hybrida.** Large flowering, single, fringed, mixed pkt. ....20c
- 140 **Petunia Hybrida.** Double fringed; mixed .....pkt. 25c
- 141 **Hybrida Flore Pleno.** Finest mixed; will produce a large percentage of double flowers..... pkt. 20c
- 142 **Fine Mixed.** Single...pkt. 5c

### PHLOX DRUMMONDI.

This magnificent genus of plants is

unrivalled for richness and brilliancy of color; profusion and duration of blooming; they are unsurpassed for bedding mixed border, succeed in light, rich soil; hardy annuals.

- 143 **Star Shaped Phlox.** Regular star-like form .....10c
- 144 **Double Mixed** .....10c
- 145 **Alba Flore.** Pure white....10c
- 146 **Grandiflora Splendens.**  
Large flowers, mixed.....10c
- 147 **Coccinea.** Deep scarlet....10c
- 148 **Mixed.** First quality..... 5c
- 149 **Decussata.** Perennial, mixed .....10c

### POPPY.

A tribe of remarkably showy, free-flowering plants, growing freely in any soil; hardy annuals.

- 150 **Peony Flowered.** Mixed double; 2 feet..... .pkt. 5c
- 151 **Umbrosum.** Color a rich vermilion, with black spots on each petal.....5c
- 152 **Danebrog.** New and large, bright scarlet ..... 5c
- 153 **Tulip Poppy.** A magnificent new species, resembling scarlet tulips .....5c
- 154 **Single Mixed**..... 5c
- 155 **Iceland Single Mixed.** The delicate, fragrant flowers are exceedingly beautiful, and with their long stems are well suited for cutting. The plants are perfectly hardy, easily cultivated, and the lovely white, yellow and orange-red flowers are in bloom from early summer until fall. Hardy perennial, blooming the first year from seed..... pkt. 10c





**SWEET PEAS.****Lathyrus.**

The Sweet Peas are among the most popular annuals which enrich the garden; they may be planted and trained on sticks the same as the common peas, or they may be sown along the sides of the fences forming an ornamental covering. In any situation they are always admired.

- 166 **Boreatton Maroon.** Oz. 10c. pkt. 5c  
 167 **Blanche Ferry** pink and white. Oz. 10c  
 .....pkt. 5c  
 168 **Emily Henderson.** White ..Oz 10c  
 ..... pkt. 5c  
 169 **Striped.** Red and white. Oz. 10c. pkt. 5c  
 170 **Invincible Scarlet.** Bright scarlet and fragrant. Oz. 10c  
 ..... pkt. 5c  
 171 **Vesuvius.** Spotted maroon. Oz 10c  
 .....pkt. 5c

**SCABIOSA, or Mourning Bride.****Sweet Scabiosa.**

Handsome, showy plants for mixed borders. Flowers beautifully variagated hardy annals.

- 164 **Atropurea. Major.** Finest double; mixed.....pkt. 5c  
 165 **Dwarf.** Double mixed..pkt. 5c

- 172 **Butterfly.** White laced with Blue; fragrant. .. Oz. 10c..pkt. 5c  
 173 **Princess Beatrice.** Rose color ..... Oz. 10c ..... .pkt. 5c  
 174 **Fairy Queen.** White and pink. ....Oz. 10c..... pkt 5c  
 175 **Crown Princess.** Blush. Oz. 10c ..... pkt. 5c  
 176 **Lemon Queen.** White, lemon

- tinted. Oz. 10c .....pkt. 5c  
 177 **Katherine Tracy.** Soft pink,  
 Oz. 10c.....pkt. 5c  
 178 **Splendour.** Rose and crimson  
 Oz 10c .....pkt. 5c  
 179 **Lottie Eckford.** White edged  
 blue Oz. 10c. ....pkt. 5c  
 180 **Firefly.** Crimson scarlet. Oz.  
 10c .. .....pkt. 5c  
 181 **Mixed.** Per lb. 50c , 1-4 lb. 20c  
 .....Oz. 10c ..... pkt. 5c  
 182 **Eckford's Mixed.** Large flow-  
 ers. per lb. 60c., 1-4 lb. 20c., oz. 10c  
 ..... pkt. 5c  
 183 **Everlasting or Perennials.**  
 Finest mixed .... .pkt. 5c  
 184 **15 Distinct Varieties.**....50c  
 185 **Cupid.** Dwarf white....pkt. 5c  
 186 **Cupid.** Dwarf pink....pkt. 5c  
**STOCKS.** Ten Weeks.

Mathiola.

Especially valuable on account of their long flowering period, and bright constant flowers produced in abundance.

- 187 **Finest Mixed.** Dwarf German.  
 ..... pkt. 5c  
 188 **Large Flowering.** Finest  
 mixed.... .pkt. 10c  
 189 **Pure White** .....pkt. 10c  
 190 **Dwarf Pyramidal.** • Best  
 stock in cultivation. Mixed pkt. 10c  
 191 **Wallflower Leaved.** Finest  
 dwarf mixed ..... pkt. 10c

### SWEET WILLIAM.

Dianthus Barbatus.

A very beautiful and well-known class of plants, of extreme richness and diversity of color. The varieties have been greatly improved of late years. Hardy Perennials.

- 192 **Fine Mixed.**.....pkt. 5c

- 193 **Double Flowering.** Finest  
 mixed, from a splendid collection of  
 double flowers ... .pkt. 5c

### THUNBERGIA.

A pretty genus of climbers of slender and rapid growth, with gay and justly admired flowers, freely produced either as a house or border plant; tender annuals.

- 194 **Finest Mixed.** Buff, white, or-  
 ange, etc.... .pkt. 5c

### VERBENA.

A charming genus of universally admired and easily cultivated plants, simply requiring the treatment of half-hardy annuals to have them bloom during the summer. Tender perennials.

- 195 **Hybrida.** From the finest  
 named sorts, Extra mixed....pkt. 15c  
 196 **Fine Mixed.**.....pkt. 10c  
 197 **Good Mixed**.....pkt. 5c

### WHITLAVIA.

Very pretty, free-flowering hardy annuals; producing exquisite bell-shaped flowers, easily cultivated.

- 198 **Mixed.** Blue and white ..pkt. 5c

### ZINNIA.

Extremely showy late summer and autumn flowering plants of great richness and variety of color, rivaling in size and doubleness moderate-sized Dahlias.

- 199 **Eligaus Flore Pleno.** Ex-  
 tra choice double, Mixed.....pkt. 5c  
 200 **8 Varieties Zinnia.**..... 30c  
 201 **Zinnia Elegans Grandiflo-  
 ra Mixed.**..... pkt. 10c



# SELECT LIST

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## Vegetable Seeds.

### EMBRACING

### All of the Leading Varieties

Suited to the wants of the Market Gardener,  
as well as the Family Gardens.

Of course we cannot warrant them to produce a perfect crop, as we do not have control of their planting nor the cultivation of the crop, and often the weather is so unfavorable as to either destroy the best seeds or to badly injure a growing crop.

When Vegetable seeds are ordered by freight or express in quantities of one-half pound and upwards, they will be sent at catalogue prices, but when ordered by mail in the same quantities, add at the rate of eight cents per pound for postage.

When beans or peas are ordered by mail by the quart or pint, add at the rate of fifteen cents per quart: Corn, add at the rate of ten cents per quart.

#### ASPARAGUS.

**Colossal.** The standard variety, pkt. 5c., oz. 10c., 1-4 lb. 20c.

**BEANS.** Dwarf or Bush  
10c. per packet postpaid by mail. Add  
15c. per quart if sent by mail.

**Improved Early Red Valentine**  
Early, productive, tender and of best  
quality. Pt. 15c., qt. 25c., pk \$1.75.

**Dwarf Horticultural.** A bush variety of the well-known Horticultural Pole bean. Pt. 15c., qt. 25c., pk \$1.75

**White Seeded Wax.** Variety with wax-like pods. The seeds are pure white. It is very productive and an

excellent variety. Pt. 15c., qt. 30c.,  
pk. \$2.00.

**Improved Rustless Golden Wax**  
The pods are produced in profusion,  
are quite stringless, very white wax-  
like. Pt. 15c., qt. 30c., pk. \$1.75.

**Wardwell's Dwarf Kidney Wax**  
This variety is very hardy. It produces a heavy crop of purely wax pods, not liable to rust or blister. The pods are thick and tender. Pt. 15c., qt. 30c., pk. \$2.00.

**Golden Wax.** It is an entirely distinct variety, a week or ten days earlier than the black wax. The pods are large, brittle and stringless. Pt.

25 Pkts. Vegetable Seeds for \$1.00.

15c., qt. 25c., pk. \$1.75.

**Henderson's Bush Lima.** It grows in a compact bush form about 18 inches high, and produces enormous crops of delicious beans. Qt. 30c., pt. 15c.

**Burpee's Bush Lima.** This is a bush form of the well-known large White Lima Bean. It is very fixed in its bush character, growing to a uniform height of about 20 inches. The pods obtain as many beans as the Pole Limas. Pt. 20c., qt. 35c.

**BEANS.** Pole or Running. 10c per pkt. postpaid by mail. Add 15c per qt. if to go by mail.

**Large Lima.** Considered the best of all beans. Universally grown for shell beans, dry or green. Qt. 30c., pt. 20c.

**Early Dutch Case Knife.** Early and productive. Qt. 30c., pt. 15c.

**Jersey Extra Early Lima.** Every one desiring a Pole Lima Bean should plant the Jersey Extra Early, as it combines better than any other, quantity, quality and earliness. Pt. 20c., qt. 35c.

**Horticultural or Speckled Cranberry.** Excellent for use, green or dry. Qt. 25c., pt 15c.

#### BEETS.

The soil should be rich, deep and mellow; plant the seeds in rows 12 or 15 inches apart.

If by mail in quantities of 1-2 lb. and upwards, add at the rate of 8c per lb.

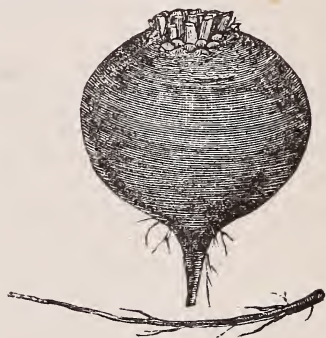
**Edmunds Early Turnip Beet.** Grows small tops, the beets are smooth, round and of good size, the flesh very dark red and remarkably sweet and tender; one of the finest

table beets grown. Pkt. 5c., oz. 10c., 1-4 lb. 15c., lb. 42c.

**Long Smooth Blood Red.** An excellent late variety; a great improvement on the common Long blood. Pkt. 5c., oz. 10c., 1-4 lb. 15c., lb. 42c.

**Egyptian Turnip Beet.** Earliest in cultivation. Pkt 5c., oz. 10c., 1-4 lb. 15c., lb. 42c.

**Eclipse Beet.** Nearly as early as the Egyptian, of much finer quality; round dark crimson. Pkt. 5c., oz. 10c., 1-4 lb. 15c., lb. 42c.



#### EARLY BLOOD TURNIP.

The standard early sort; a late keeper. Pkt. 5c., oz. 10c., 1-4 lb. 15c., lb. 42c.

**Lentz.** It is as early as the Egyptian of fine dark red color, a very small top, tender and sweet, very productive. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c., 1-4 lb. 15c., lb. 42c

**Bastian's Extra Early Turnip.** An early variety, of handsome shape, deep red color and superior quality. Pkt. 5c., oz. 10c., 1-4 lb. 15c., lb. 42c

**Dewing's Blood Turnip.** Deep Blood-red, fine form and flavor; very early, good market sort. Pkt. 5c., oz. 10c., 1-4 lb. 15c., lb. 42c.

25 Pkts. Vegetable Seeds for \$1.00.

### Varieties Adapted to Growing For Feeding Stock.

Sow in April and May. 6 to 8 pounds to an acre.

**White Sugar.** Very large size and excellent for feeding. Oz. 8c., 1-4 lb. 10c., lb. 30c.

### Champion Yellow Globe.

Smooth, globe-shaped roots, of large size and excellent quality. Oz. 8c., 1-4 lb. 10c., lb. 30c.

### Norbiton Giant Long Red Mangel.

A great improvement on the common long red, producing immense crops on good soil. Oz. 8c., 1-4 lb. 10c., lb. 30c.

### CABBAGE.

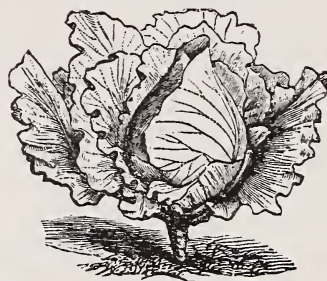
The cabbage requires a deep, rich soil and thorough working. For early use the plants should be started in a hot-bed or cold frame; but seed for winter cabbage should be sown in a seed-bed early in the spring. Some of the large, late varieties seem to do best if the seed is sown in hills where they are to remain, and in that case sow two or three seeds where each plant is desired, and then pull up all but the strongest. Plant the large varieties 3 feet apart; the small, early sorts from a foot to 18 inches. If by mail in quantities of 1-2 lb. and upwards, add at the rate of 8c. per pound for postage.

### Henderson's Early Summer.

It is the earliest of large cabbages. Ten days later than the Wakefield and rarely if ever cracking open when ripe. Pkt. 5c., oz. 20c., 1-4 lb. 60c., lb. \$2.00.

**Henderson Succession.** About one week later than the early summer, but it is double the size; good either early or late. Pkt. 5c., oz. 20c., 1-4 lb. 60c., lb. \$2.25.

**Early Jersey Wakefield.** Leading early market variety. The best and most profitable sort. Pkt. 5c., oz. 25c., 1-4 lb. 75c., lb. \$3.00.



**Early Winningstadt.** An excellent variety of good size; sure to head even in poor soil. Pkt. 5c., oz. 15c., 1-4 lb. 35c., lb. \$1.25.

**Large Late Drum Head.** Very large size; sound, compact heads. Pkt. 5c., oz. 15c., 1-4 lb. 40c., lb. \$1.50.

**Fottler's Improved Brunswick.** An excellent second early and late variety. Pkt. 5c., oz. 15c., 1-4 lb. 40c., lb. \$1.50.

**Stone Mason.** Large, compact and of fine quality; late; good keeper. Pkt. 5c., oz. 15c., 1-4 lb. 50c., lb. \$1.60.



### PREMIUM FLAT DUTCH.

A superior variety; large, of excellent

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flavor. Pkt. 5c., oz. 15c., 1-4 lb. 40c., lb. \$1.50.

**Autumn King.** The finest late cabbage. Pkt. 5c., oz. 20c., 1-4 lb. 60c., lb. \$2.25.

**Mammoth Rock Red.** Excellent for pickling. Pkt. 5c., oz. 20c., 1-4 lb. 60c., lb. \$2.25.

### CARROTS.

If by mail in quantities of 1-2 pound and upwards, add at the rate of 8c. per pound for postage.

**Danvers.** A valuable sort; rich shade of orange, smooth. Pkt., 5c. oz. 10c., 1-4 lb. 20c., lb. 55c.

**Long Orange.** Large size; good for garden or field culture. Pkt. 5c., oz. 10c., 1-4 lb. 20c., lb. 50c.

### CAULIFLOWER.

Any soil that will grow early cabbages will grow cauliflower, as their requirements are almost similar.

**Henderson's Early Snowball.**

This variety of Cauliflower has given the greatest satisfaction in all sections; the earliest of the Cauliflowers. It is about one week earlier than any other sort. Every plant forms a head, Pkt. 15c., oz. \$2.00.

### CELERY.

Sow seeds in a hotbed or in a cold-frame. As soon as the plants are about three inches high, transplant to a nicely prepared bed in the border, setting them four or five inches apart. When some eight inches high and fine, stocky plants, set them in trenches. Earth up a little during the summer, keeping the leaf stocks closely together, so that the soil cannot get between them. Finish earthing up in autumn, and never hoe or earth up in moist weather, nor when

plants are moistened with dew. To preserve celery for winter dig trenches a foot in width and as deep as the tops of the plants. Stand the celery in these erect, as it grew, with what dirt adheres to the root, packing closely, but not crowding.

**White Plume.** In growth it is similar to the half dwarf, but the one quality that recommends it especially above other sorts is that it can be blanched without high banking. Pkt. 5c., oz. 20c.

**Pink Plume.** New. A variety similar in general character to white plume, but stalks are tinged with pink, making it a wonderfully attractive and beautiful sort. It is equal in quality to the white plume and earlier. Pkt. 5c., oz. 25c.

**Henderson's Half Dwarf.** One of the best large varieties in cultivation. Pkt. 5c., oz. 15c.

### CORN.

10c. per pkt. by mail postpaid. Add 10 cents per qt. if sent by mail for postage.

**Hickox Hybrid.** Popular wherever it is known. It is one or two weeks earlier than Stowell's Evergreen, makes a large attractive ear of very white and handsome grain. The best sort to dry. Pt. 12c., qt. 20c., pk. \$1.00.

**Cory Early Sweet.** It is the earliest of the large red cob varieties that have yet been introduced. Pt. 12c., qt. 20c., pk. \$1.00.

**White Cob Cory.** An extra early variety, identical with Cory Early, except in color. Pt 12c., qt. 20c., pk. \$1.00.

**Moore's Early Concord.** A deli-

25 Pkts. Vegetable Seeds for \$1.00.



cate variety; productive. Pt. 12c., qt. 20c., pk. \$1.00.

**Stowell's Evergreen.** The favorite. Very tender and excellent for the table. Pt. 12c., qt. 20c., pk. \$1.00.

**Potter's Excelsior.** The sweetest medium early sweet corn, twelve rowed, white prolific. Excellent for canning. Pt. 12c., qt. 20c., pk. \$1.00.

**Perry's Hybrid.** Stalks of medium height, bearing two large, twelve or fourteen rowed ears, often have a red cob; cooking very white and tender. Matures a little later than Minnesota. Pt. 12c., qt. 20c., pk. \$1.00.

**Crosby's Early.** Early and a great favorite. Rather small ears but productive and of excellent quality. Pt. 12c., qt. 20c., pk. \$1.00.

### CUCUMBER.

In this latitude, it is useless to plant in the open ground until nearly the first of June. Make rich hills of well-rotted manure, two feet in diameter, and plant a dozen or more seeds, covering half an inch deep. When all danger from insects is over, pull all but three or four of the strongest plants. The middle of June is early enough to plant for pickling. Make the hills about 6 feet apart.

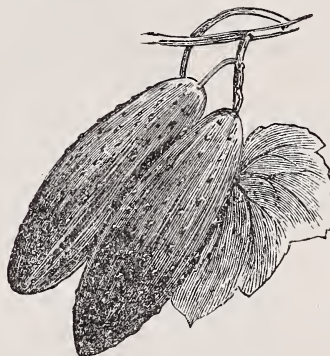
If by mail in quantities of 1-2 lb. and upwards, add at the rate of 8c. per lb. for postage.



### Improved Early White Spine.

A favorite market variety; productive. Pkt. 5c., oz. 10c., 1-4 lb. 15c., lb. 40c.

**Early Cluster.** An esteemed early variety; grows in clusters; productive. Pkt. 5c., oz. 10c., 1-4 lb. 15c., lb. 40c.



**Green Prolific.** As a pickling variety is unsurpassed. Pkt. 5c., oz. 10c., 1-4 lb. 15c., lb. 40c.

**Nichols' Medium Green.** It is exceedingly productive, of medium size, always straight and smooth. The color is dark green, the flesh tender and crisp. Pkt. 5c., oz. 10c., 1-4 lb. 15c., lb. 40c.

**Long Green.** Produces long fruit of superior quality; firm and crisp. Pkt. 5c., oz. 10c., 1-4 lb. 15c., lb. 40c.

**Early Russian.** Very early; fruit grows in pairs; hardy and productive. Pkt. 5c., oz. 10c., 1-4 lb. 15c., lb. 45c.

**Early Frame.** An old, popular variety. Excellent for pickles when small. Pkt. 5c., oz. 10c., 1-4 lb. 15c., lb. 40c.

**Cool and Crisp.** The flesh is peculiarly crisp and tender, and it is one of the very best for table use. Pkt. 5c., oz. 10c., 1-4 lb. 20c., lb. 50c.

### EGG PLANT.

The egg plant is tender and requires to be started very early under glass.

25 Pkts. Vegetable Seeds for \$1.00.

**New York Improved.** The leading variety. Pkt. 5c.

### LETTUCE.

Lettuce needs a moist, rich soil; rapid growth makes better quality.

**Early Curled Simpson.** Leading market variety; Pkt. 5c., oz. 10c., 1-4 lb. 30c., lb. \$1.

**Salamander.** The best variety for summer use, forming good sized heads; color, light green on outside, white on inside; stands the drought well; very slow to run to seed. Pkt. 5c., oz. 10c., 1-4 lb. 30c., lb. \$1.

**Early Prize Head.** The leaves are crisp and tender, and remain so throughout the season. Pkt. 5c., oz. 10c., 1-4 lb. 30c., lb. \$1.

**Grand Rapids.** As a lettuce for greenhouse forcing, this variety stands at the head of the list, being of quick growth. The plant is upright and forms a loose head. Pkt. 5c., oz. 10c., 1-4 lb. 30c., lb. \$1.00.

### MELON. Musk.

Melons thrive best in a moderately rich, light soil.

**Emerald Gem.** This variety is of rich, delicious flavor and fine quality; very early and prolific; skin of a deep emerald green. The flesh is thick, salmon color. Pkt. 5c., oz. 10c., 1-4 lb. 15c., lb. 50c.

**Nutmeg.** Skin deep green; the flesh a greenish yellow, rich and sugary. Pkt. 5c., oz. 10c., 1-4 lb. 15c., lb. 50c.

**Early Hackensack.** The popular variety of Musk Melon; very early; attains a good size; is of delicious flavor and wonderfully productive. Pkt. 5c., oz. 10c., 1-4 lb. 15c., lb. 50c.

### MELON. Water.

**Sweetheart.** (See cut.) It is very large, a little longer than thick. Skin very bright; beautifully mottled green. Flesh bright red, firm and heavy, but crisp, melting and sweet. Pkt. 5c., oz. 10c., 1-4 lb. 15c., lb. 50c.

**Mountain Sweet.** Fruit oblong, dark green, rind thin, flesh red, solid and very sweet. Pkt. 5c., oz. 10c., 1-4 lb. 15c., lb. 40c.

**Phinney's Early.** Flesh red; good quality, early and productive. Pkt. 5c. oz. 10c., 1-4 lb. 15c., lb. 40c.

### ONION.

The onion thrives best in a rather deep, rich, loomy soil, and unlike most vegetables succeeds well when cultivated on the same ground for successive years. The ground should be deeply trenched and manured the previous autumn, and laid up in ridges during the winter to soften. As early in the spring as the ground is in working order, commence operations by leveling the ground with a rake, tread it firmly; sow thinly in drills about a quarter of an inch deep and a foot apart; cover with fine soil, press down with the back of a spade or light roller. Keep the surface of the ground open and free from weeds by frequent hoeing, taking care not to stir the soil too deeply, or to collect it about the growing bulbs.

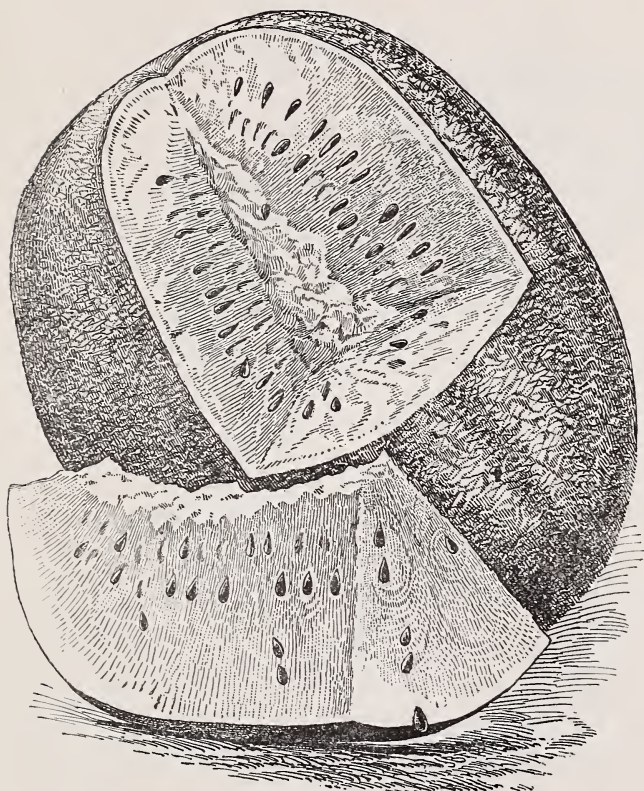
If by mail in quantities of 1-2 lb. and upwards, add at the rate of 8c per lb.

**Southport Yellow Globe.** A handsome globular Onion, of mild flavor and a good keeper. One of the very best. Pkt. 5c., oz. 15c., 1-4 lb. 50c., lb. \$1.50.

**Southport White Globe.** Handsome globular Onion of mild flavor.

**25 Pkts. Vegetable Seeds for \$1.00.**





One of the best. Pkt. 5c., oz. 20c.,  
1-4 lb. 65c., lb. \$2.50.

**Griswold's Medium Early Red Globe.** This is one of the best varieties of Onion grown for the market. It is nearly round in shape, having a bright red color, Medium Early, (ripening about two weeks before the Southport Red Globe,) very productive and a good keeper. Pkt. 5c., oz. 20c., 1-4 lb. 60c., lb. \$2.25.

**Yellow Globe Danvers.** An excellent variety, mild flavored and very productive; ripens early, and is

a good keeper. Pkt. 5c., oz. 15c. 1-4 lb. 40c., lb. \$1.30.

**Wethersfield Large Red.** Standard for eastern markets; of large size, deep red, and excellent keeper. Pkt. 5c., oz. 15c., 1-4 lb. 40c., lb. \$1.30.

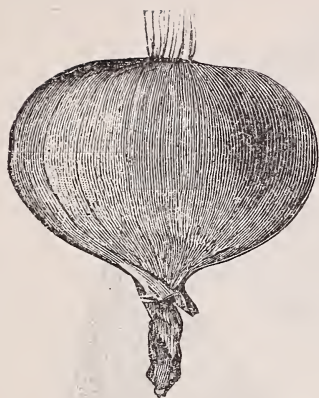
Larger lots at special rates.

#### **PARSLEY.**

Parsley succeeds best in a rich mellow soil. It should be sown early in spring, previously soaking the seed in tepid water.

**Doubled Curled.** A fine dwarf va-

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riety, beautifully curled. Pkt. 5c. oz. 10c.

### PARSNIP.

Sow as early in spring as the weather will permit, in drills 15 inches apart, covering half an inch deep. When well up thin out to five or six inches apart in the rows. Unlike carrots they are improved by frost, and it is usual to take up in fall a certain quantity for winter use, leaving the rest in the ground until spring, to be dug as required.

### Long Smooth or Hollow Crown

Standard for general use. Pkt. 5c., oz. 10c., 1-4 lb. 15c. lb. 40c.

### PEAS.

Ten cents pkt. Add at the rate of 15 cents per qt. if sent by mail.

**McLean's Little Gem.** A wrinkled variety, very early; quality good; 1 foot high. Pt. 15c. qt. 25c., pk. \$1.10.

**First and Best.** Very desirable early variety, and ripens thoroughly; 2 feet high. Pt. 10c., qt. 20c., pk. \$1.

**Hosford's Market Garden.** A wrinkled variety coming in between Little Gem and Advancer; 2 feet high. It is a prolific bearer, the pods of a

medium size, and the peas are of a delicious sweet flavor. Pt. 10c., qt. 20 cents, pk. \$1.

**McLean's Advancer.** The best and second early pea for market or home use. Green, wrinkled and of delicious flavor; 2 feet high. Pt. 10c., qt. 20c., pk. \$1.

**Champion of England.** One of the most popular sorts known; five feet high. Pt. 10c., qt. 20c., pk. \$1.

**Black-Eyed Marrowfat.** A favorite in Boston markets; large pods; prolific; 5 feet high. Pt. 10c., qt. 15c., pk. 75c.

**American Wonder.** One of the earliest wrinkled peas in cultivation, fine quality and flavor; 10 inches in height. Pt. 15c., qt. 30c., pk. \$1.50.

**Bliss Abundance Pea.** Very productive; grows 15 to 18 inches; pods 3 to 3 1-2 inches long, well filled, excellent quality; a second early variety. The seeds should be sown thinner than usual. Pt. 10c., qt. 20c., pk. \$1.25.

**Heroine.** The Heroine is a medium early, green wrinkled Pea, grows about 2 1-2 feet high and is literally covered with its long, heavy, pointed pods. Rich flavor. Pt. 10c., qt. 20c., pk. \$1.25.

**Nott's Excelsior.** An extra early dwarf wrinkled Pea, usually ready for table in 40 to 50 days from planting, only a few days later than the early round sorts. It grows about 14 inches high. It is wonderfully productive. Pt. 15c., qt. 25c., pk. \$1.50.

**Bliss' Ever Bearing** A continuous bearing variety, which gives it especial value for late summer and autumn use; height 2 feet. Pt. 10c., qt. 20c., pk. \$1.25.

25 Pkts. Vegetable Seeds for \$1.00.

**PEPPER.**

Grown largely for pickles. Sow in Hot-bed early in April, and transplant to the open ground when the weather is favorable. They should be planted in warm mellow soil, in rows 18 inches apart. They may also be sowed in the open ground when danger of frost is past and the soil is warm and settled.

**Sweet Mountain or Mammoth**

Rind thick, fleshy and tender; much used for pickling, stuffed like mangoes. Pkt. 5c, oz. 20c.

**Large Bell or Bull Nose.** An early kind; the standard variety, large. Pkt. 5c, oz. 20c.

**Squash or Tomato Shape.** Best for pickles; very mild, and thick flesh. Pkt. 5c, oz. 25c.

**Long Red Cayenne.** Very productive. Pkt. 5c, oz. 20c.

**RADISH.**

Radishes thrive best in light sandy loam. If by mail, add 8c per pound.

**French Breakfast.** Very mild and tender; best for forcing. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, 1-4 lb. 15c, lb. 40c.

**Long Scarlet Short Top.** The standard variety. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, 1-4 lb. 15c, lb. 40c.

**Early Scarlet Turnip.** Round: about an inch in diameter, skin scarlet and flesh white. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c 1-4 lb. 15c, lb. 40c.

**White Tipped Early Scarlet Turnip.** Bright scarlet, fading off to pure white at the base, and is tender, mild in flavor and early. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, 1-4 lb. 15c, lb. 40c.

**SPINACH.**

If by mail, add 8c per lb. for postage.

**Thick Leaf.** The standard variety; equally good for spring or fall sowing.

ing. Pkt. 5c, oz. 8c, 1-4 lb. 15c, lb. 30c.

**Long Standing.** Except in the characteristic of standing along time before going to seed, this variety resembles the round leaf. Pkt. 5c, oz. 8c, 1-4 lb. 15c, lb. 30c.

**SQUASH.**

Like all vegetables of this class, it is useless to sow until the weather has become settled, and warm, light soils are best suited for their growth. Manure in ordinary manner by incorporating two or three shovelfuls of well-rotted manure with the soil for each hill. For the bush varieties, from three to four feet each way and for the running sorts from six to eight feet. If by mail add 8c per pound.

**Mammoth Summer Crookneck**

In the Mammoth we have the delicious, buttery flavor of the original sort, but of double the size. Pkt. 5c., oz. 10c., 1-4 lb. 20c., lb. 45c.

**Summer Crookneck.** Early productive, good quality. Pkt. 5c., oz. 10c., 1-4 lb. 20c, lb. 40c.

**Winter Crookneck.** Flesh close grained, sweet, and fine flavored. Pkt. 5c., oz. 10c., 1-4 lb. 20c, lb. 50c.

**Boston Marrow.** A much esteemed variety, coming in about ten days later than the Crookneck sorts; a good keeper. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, 1-4 lb. 20c., lb. 40c.

**Essex Hybrid.** It is one of the richest flavored, finest grained and sweetest squashes, and one of the best keepers. The flesh is thick, rich colored and solid. Pkt. 5c. oz. 10c, 1-4 lb. 20c, lb. 50c.



**Hubbard.** Large sized, fine grained, dry and of the best flavor. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, 1-4 lb. 20c, lb. 50c.

**Early Yellow Bush Scallop.** An early, flat scallop shaped variety; color yellow; flesh pale yellow and well flavored. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, 1-4 lb. 20c, lb. 40c.

**Marblehead.** Much more productive and better quality than the famed Hubbard. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, 1-4 lb 15c, lb. 45c.

### TOMATO.

The seed should be sown in a hot bed about the first of March, in drills five inches apart and half an inch deep. When the plants are about two inches high they should be set out four or five inches apart in another hot bed or removed into small pots, allowing a single plant to a pot. About the middle of May the plants may be set in the open ground

**Livingstone's Favorite.** It is one of the largest and most perfect shaped varieties in cultivation; ripens early. Pkt. 5c, oz. 20c.

**Volunteer.** Very early; productive and a fair size. Pkt. 5c, oz. 20c.

**Peach.** The fruit is uniform size, and resembles a peach in shape. Pkt. 5c, oz. 20c.

**Table Queen.** Perfectly smooth and round. It is solid and contains few seeds. The color is a rich crimson. Pkt. 5c, oz. 20c.

### TURNIPS.

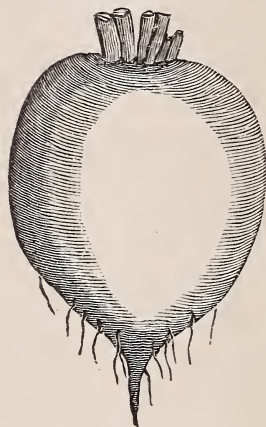
Turnips do best in a highly enriched, light, sandy or gravelly soil. If by mail, add eight cents per pound for postage.

**Early Snowball.** A round, pure white variety. For early sowing this

is one of the best, being crisp, tender and sweet. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, 1-4 lb. 20c., lb. 60c.

**Early Red Top Strap Leaf.** One of the best for general use. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, 1-4 lb. 15c, lb. 42c.

**Early Purple Top Milan.** The earlist variety in cultivation. The color is bright reddish purple above ground and clear white underneath. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, 1-4 lb. 25c, lb. 60c.



**White Egg.** A very excellent variety; flesh firm and of fine grain and of snowy whiteness. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, 1-4 lb. 15c, lb. 42c.

### RUTA BAGA OR SWEEDISH.

The Ruta Baga or Sweedish Turnip is exclusively grown for a farm crop, and is excellent for the table early in the spring. Sow from the 20th of June to the middle of July.

**Improved American.** Yellow, solid and sweet, very productive. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, 1-4 lb. 15c, lb, 42c.

**Breadstone.** A very superior strain of white Ruta Baga, of medium size; smooth, quick growing, flesh fine grained, perfectly white, sweet and

25 Pkts. Vegetable Seeds for \$1.00.

tender. Pkt. 5c, oz. 10c, 1-4 lb. 15c,  
lb. 42c.

### **SWEET AND POT HERBS.**

Five cents per packet.

**Sage.** Broad leaved; oz. 15c.

**SUMMER SAVORY.** Oz. 15c.

**CORIANDER.** Oz. 10c.

**THYME.** Oz. 25c.

**ANISE.** Oz. 15c.

**SWEET MAJORAM.** Oz. 20c.

## **VEGETABLE PLANTS.**

### **CABBAGE PLANTS.**

For early setting started in spring.  
per 100. per 1000

**Early Jersey Wakefield.**

Ready April 15. 50c \$4.00

**Henderson's Early Summer.**

Ready April 15. 50c. \$4.00

For fall and winter crops, ready July 1.

**Autumn King.** 30c. \$2.50

**Premium Flat Dutch.** 30c. \$2.50

**Red.** [For pickling.] 30c. \$2.50

**Fottler's Drumhead.** 30c. \$2.50

### **CAULIFLOWER.**

per doz. per 100

**Henderson's Early Snowball.**

Ready May 1. 20c. \$1.00

### **CELERY.**

per 100. per 1000

**Crawford's Half Dwarf.**

Ready June 15. 60c. \$5.00

**White Plume.**

Ready June 15. 60c. \$5.00

### **PEPPEB PLANTS.**

per doz. per 100

**Sweet Mountain.**

Ready May 15. 20c. \$1.25

**Bull Nose.**

Ready May 15. 20c. \$1.25

### **TOMATO PLANTS.**

per doz. per 100

**Favorite.** Pot plants.

Ready May 15. 35c. \$2.50

**Table Queen.** Pot plants.

Ready May 15. 35c. \$2.50

**Volunteer.** Pot plants.


Ready May 15. 35c. \$2.50

Box plants at 20c. 1.25



25 Pkts. Vegetable Seeds for \$1.00.

	Each 8 cents.	Dozen, \$.75.
AGERATUM, blue and white,	15 "	1.50
AMPELOPS VEITCHII, south side ivy,	5 "	.25
ASTERS, choice collection ready May 15th,	5 "	.25
BALSAMS, mixed, ready May 15th, <sup>1</sup>	20 "	1.50
BEGONIAS TUBEROUS, single flowers, mixed colors,	10 "	1.00
BEGONIAS, six varieties,	25 "	2.00
CALADIUM ESCULENTUM,	20 "	2.00
CALLA ETHIOPICA,	15 "	1.00
CANNA, French ever blooming,	10 "	1.00
CARNATIONS, in variety,	10 "	1.00
CHRYSANTHEMUMS in variety,	10 "	.75
COLEUS, many colors and varieties,	10 "	.75
CUPHEA, cigar plant,	10 "	.75
FEVERFEW,	10 "	1.00
FUCHIAS, in variety, double and single,	10 "	1.00
GERANIUMS, double, all colors,	10 "	1.00
GERANIUMS, single all colors,	15 "	1.50
GERANIUMS, newer varieties,	15 "	1.50
GERANIUMS, double ivy leaved,	10 "	1.00
GERANIUMS, scented,	15 "	1.50
GLOXINIAS, mixed colors,	10 "	1.00
HELIOTROPES,	10 "	1.00
IVIES, German and English,	15 "	1.50
LEMON VERBENAS,	8 "	.60
LOBELIAS,	15 "	1.50
MAHERNIA ODORATA, .	10 "	1.00
MANETTIA BICOLOR,	15 "	1.50
MOON FLOW R,	5 "	25 and 50
PANSIES, seedling from choice varieties,	15 "	1.50
PETUNIAS, double fringed in varieties,	10 "	1.00
PETUNIAS, single in variety,	15 "	1.50
PRIMULA, single, red and white,	15 "	1.50
RICHARDIA ALBA MACULATA,	15 "	1.50
ROSES, Tea and Monthly in variety,	5 "	.25
STOCKS, mixed colors,	10 "	.75
SALVIA SPLENDENS,	5 "	.50
TUBEROSE, double pearl, dry roots,	10 "	1.00
VINCA, VARIEGATED MYRTLE,	8 "	.60
VERBENAS, MAMMOTH, in twelve colors,	5 "	.25
ZINNIAS, mixed colors, ready May 15,		

 A discount of 25 per cent. is allowed on any of the above named plants if bought at the green house.





